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Queer Way of Telling Time.

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A YOUNG ELECTRIC LIGHT.

Dr. Norvin Green, for many years president of the Western Union Telegraph Company, once said that but for the duliness of himself and his assistants, Thomas A. Edison might never have obtained the confidence and support of the great corporation. Edison had been trying for months to induce the officials to take up some of his inventions, until they began to regard him as a bore.

He went to the main office one day, and was greeted by Dr. Norvin Green and the other officials with sneering smiles. Doctor Green said, "Mr. Edison, we are unable to get into communication with Albany, and a large amount of important business is in peril. I suppose that since you know more about telegraphy than all of the rest of us combined, you can locate the difficulty."

Whether Edison noticed the sneering tone or not, he quietly answered, "I can locate it inside of two or three hours, sir."

Dr. Green and the others laughed outright, one of them saying, "Edison, you have now fully demonstrated that you are a crank."

Edison never smiled, nor addressed a word to the speaker, but looked at Doctor Green, and said, "If I locate this difficulty in two or three hours will you take up my inventions and give them honest consideration?"

"Yes, I will," said Doctor Green, "and I will do it if you succeed in two days."

It was a very simple thing, and yet Edison was the only one who had the comprehensive mind to think of it instantly. He did not tell them for many years afterward how he accomplished the feat, but he did it inside of one hour.

Edison went to the main offices, where he was known as an expert operator, and called up Pittsburg. He asked for the best operator there, naming him, and then told the Pittsburg man to call up the best man at Albany, and direct him to telegraph down the line to New York, as far as he could and report back to Edison as soon as this telegram:

"I can telegraph all right down to within two miles of Poughkeepsie, and there is trouble with the wire there."

Edison went back to the office of the president, and gravely announced that if a train should be sent to Poughkeepsie, with materials for the work, they would find a break in the line just two miles on the other side of Poughkeepsie, and could repair it that afternoon.

They begged him to tell how he had found it out, and he replied:

"By knowing more about telegraphing than all of you put together, as Doctor Green has said."

They located the break, repaired it, and Doctor Green took up Edison's in ventions; and that was Edison's great start in life.

Soot as a Disinfectant.

Of the many cheap and simple disinfectants proposed for the use of the people one of the most effective is common soot. Soot is composed of pure carbon and is formed by the hot vapor of the hydrocarbon coming from burning fuel striking the cold walls of the chimney or stovepipe and condensing thereon. It is a very light. porous and impalpable powder and. like charcoal, which is the same element in a different form, possesses the property of absorbing and retaining a wonderful amount of gas. The great danger of disease about sewers, drains and other places is almost entirely due to gas given off by decomposing matter. If soot be sprinkled about these places it will absorb the foul gas .- London Mail.

Long-Felt Want.

Customer-Say, what kind of a crazy novel is this, anyway? It begins with the last chapter and ends with the first. Bookseller-Oh, that edition is intended for ladies only.

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"Perhaps it is," rejoined the warbler, "but somehow I never feel like singing after I have monkeyed with your The Judge Interferes.

When a prisoner in Justice Maule's court was asked whether he had any-thing to say why sentence should not be prenounced upon him, he replied:
"I wish God may strike me dead if I stole the ducks."

The magistrate waited for about a minute, and then said: "Prisoner, as Providence has not interfered. I must. Three months' hard labor."—Exchange.

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The tainted blood of ancestors lays upon the shoulders of innocent off-spring untold suffering by transmitting to them, through the blood, that blighting disease, Scrofula; for in nearly every instance the disease can be traced to some family blood trouble, or blood-kin marriage which is contrary to the laws of nature. Swelling, ulcerating glands of the neck, catarrh,

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